Oberlin Magnet Middle School

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Greetings Oberlin Families,

We hope that all of our families have stayed safe and warm with our chilly winter weather! Thanks to all of our families who shared snowman and winter fun pictures with us on social media. Although it was a short, one day week, it was great to have our students back on campus to kick off third quarter. Super congratulations to Oberlin Magnet Middle School for being named a "2025 Top Magnet School of Excellence" by Magnet Schools of America. Thanks to staff, students, and families for helping our school to carry out and showcase our global studies magnet theme. Please take note of spring athletic information included below, and we look forward to a "full" week ahead next week!

-- Ms. Pelton, Principal

Week of January 27th - 31st

Monday, January 27th

Oberlin Basketball AT Carnage, 4:00pm

Thursday, January 30th

Band Concert, 7:00pm, Auditorium

Spring Athletics - Spring athletics are coming soon. Please review the following dates and reminders for girls softball, boys soccer, and boys / girls track. All students interested in trying out for spring athletics must pass 5 of 6 classes from the first semester of this school year with no more than 14 absences. All DragonFly forms must be completed and updated in DragonFly by February 21st. Please email Athletic Director, Coach Chaplin, at ewchaplin@wcpss.net with any questions regarding DragonFly or eligibility.

Please make sure your Athlete Fills out their sports specific Interest form.

Boys Soccer

- Boys Soccer Interest Meeting will take place the Tuesday, January 28th
- Please fill out: <u>Boys Soccer Interest Form 2025</u>
- Soccer Tryouts will begin on February 24th
- *Reach out to Coach Kyle Franklin with questions (kfranklin3@wcpss.net) and Brian Wellman.

Boys / Girls Track

- Boys/Girls Track Interest Meeting will take place on Tuesday, February 4th
- Please fill out: Track Interest Form
- Track Tryouts will begin on Monday February 24
- Reach out to Coach Papile with questions (jpapile@wcpss.net.)

Girls Softball

- Softball Interest Meeting will take place on Wednesday, February 5th
- Please fill out: Softball Interest Form
- Softball Tryouts will begin on Thursday February 27th.
- Reach out to Coach Gravley with questions (sgravley@wcpss.net)

Visit the <u>Oberlin Athletic Website</u> for Sport Specific Tryout information, Dates and Updates.

Basketball Concession Sign Ups - Consider signing up at this <u>link</u> to serve concessions at an Oberlin home basketball game. https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0948A5AB23A46-46514993-oberlin

Eighth Grade High School Registration Updates - Eighth grade families, we are entering the "busy season" for high school registration. This <u>link</u> will be updated weekly by Mr. Milner, eighth grade school counselor, and will contain all up to date information for all of our feeder high schools. Most recent updates will be at the top. At any time, please reach out to Mr. Milner with any student specific or school specific questions. (smilner@wcpss.net)

Eighth Grade High School Registration Parent Meetings - Mr. Milner, 8th grade school counselor, will hold an in person parent meeting on Tuesday, March 4th from 8:30am - 9:30am in the Oberlin Media Center and a virtual parent meeting on the evening of Tuesday, March 4th from 6:00pm - 7:00pm. Both meetings will contain the same content and will provide an overview of the high school registration process for families. Please reach out to Mr. Milner with any questions. (smilner@wcpss.net)

WCPSS Annual Asbestos Notification - Annually, schools are required to provide families with an annual notification regarding Asbestos. Please find the district's annual notification at the following links: <u>English Spanish</u>

Team Newsletters

Sixth Grade: Astros Rockets Voyagers

Seventh Grade: <u>Dragons</u> <u>Embers</u> <u>Phoenix</u>

Eighth Grade: Globetrotters Mountaineers Rangers

PTA Updates

Join the PTA here Purchase Booster Club Passes - here

PTA Linktree - <u>linktr.ee/OberlinPTA</u>

A copy of all Weekly Family Communications can be found on our <u>website</u> (https://www.wcpss.net/oberlinms). Follow us on **Social Media**: **@oberlinmiddle** on Twitter, **OberlinMiddle** on Instagram, **oberlinmagnetmiddleschool** on Facebook, Oberlin PTA: linktr.ee/OberlinPTA.